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FOR MICHAEL CONLIN, ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR

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SUBJECT:MODE - EVALUATION BY CHIEF OF MISSION OF PERSON-
NEL LEVELS - CUSTOMS

REF: (A) LONDON 19991, (B) LONDON 18798, (C) STATE 174802,
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1. MATERIALS RELATED TO AMBASSADOR BREWSTER'S RECOM-
MENDATIONS FOR REDUCTIONS IN "OTHER AGENCIES" PERSONNEL
LEVELS AT LONDON WERE POUCHED FEBRUARY 9 FOR ATTENTION
OF ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR. MATERIALS INCLUDE A LETTER
FROM TREASURY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ADMINISTRATION,
BECKHAM, DATED 12/5/77, COMMENTING ON AMBASSADOR'S RECOM-
MENDATION REGARDING CUSTOMS STAFFING AT LONDON. LETTER
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REEMPHASIZES NEED FOR STAFFING ARRANGEMENT URGED BY
TREASURY LAST SUMMER (REFTEL D), NAMELY, FOUR U.S. AND ONE
FSL FOR CUSTOMS AT LONDON.

2. DEPARTMENT ASSUMES THAT EMBASSY CONTINUES TO HOLD
VIEW EXPRESSED PARA THREE REFTEL A, THAT PRESENT CUSTOMS

STAFFING OF TWO U.S. SHOULD NOT BE INCREASED AND THAT ONE
FSL SLOT SHOULD BE ABOLISHED. NEVERTHELESS, SINCE
TREASURY LETTER OFFERS ARGUMENTS NOT PREVIOUSLY ADDUCED,

WE WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION OR CLARIFICATION OF YOUR
VIEWS IN LIGHT OF THAT LETTER. PLEASE ADVISE. VANCE

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